

Waterfowl Survey for the week of

September 25, 2008

Survey Areas	Ducks				Geese		
	Total	Mallards	Other Dabblers	Divers	Total	Dark	Light
Spirit Lake Areas	400	29%	71%	0%	4000	100%	0%
Ruthven Areas	2200	18%	82%	0%	600	100%	0%
Ingham Areas	1200	25%	75%	0%	800	100%	0%
Black Hawk Lake	500	16%	84%	0%	100	100%	0%
Bays Branch Areas	800	8%	92%	0%	1100	100%	0%
Rice Lake Areas	800	28%	72%	0%	2200	100%	0%
Big Marsh	100	33%	67%	0%	500	100%	0%
Sweet Marsh	200	24%	76%	0%	400	100%	0%
Green Island	700	16%	84%	0%	800	100%	0%
Princeton	100	0%	100%	0%	0		
Lake Odessa Areas	1600	1%	99%	0%	400	100%	0%
Coralville Areas	1200	26%	74%	0%	200	100%	0%
Otter Creek	1000	21%	79%	0%	100	100%	0%
Saylorville Areas	800	10%	90%	0%	900	100%	0%
Red Rock	No Report - For information contact (515) 961-0716						
Rathbun Areas	1700	9%	91%	0%	1500	100%	0%
Lake Icaria	100	0%	100%	0%	400	100%	0%
Union County Areas	200	20%	80%	0%	500	100%	0%
Lake Sugema	No Report - For information contact (641) 682-3552						
Missouri River Oxbows	300	8%	92%	0%	1300	100%	0%
Riverton/Forney	2500	2%	98%	0%	100	100%	0%
Total	15600	14%	86%	0%	15300	100%	0%

Weather and migrations during the survey period:

Mild fall weather dominated the week. A cold front brought rain with isolated heavy storms across much of the northern half of the state Monday afternoon through Tuesday.